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With a vision of the future deeply rooted in the Cold War of the last century, the Department of Energy has unveiled plans for a new "National Security Complex" in Oak Ridge, Tennessee. The plans are revealed in the first-ever Environmental Impact Statement for the Y-12 bomb plant: the EIS outlines the first step in what DOE plans to eventually build a brand new \$4 billion dollar bomb plant. This is not just an Oak Ridge issue. This is not just a Tennessee issue. This is a world issue.

Please stop this plan.

**As it is world is facing many problems and imbalances:
between nations- advanced and developing/third world;
relations between humankind is at stake,
natural environment is affecting draught, earthquakes, eruptions, etc,
escalates balance of power and war or cold war continues.**

So, reconsider this plan and stop it. Divert these public funds for humanitarian purposes.

Thanking you,
Prakash Mody

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Tell the department of energy what you think. Comments will be accepted until February 23, 2001. You can mail comments to: US Dept of Energy, Oak Ridge Operations Office Attn: Gary Hartman P.O. Box 2001 Oak Ridge, TN 37831
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DOE is responsible for meeting the current requirements set forth by the President and Congress in the Nuclear Weapons Stockpile Memorandum, which is updated annually. The need for nuclear weapons and alternative uses of the Nation's funds are beyond the scope of the Y-12 SWEIS.